

Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of	)	
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Petition for Waiver of	)	
FCC Form 471 Filing Deadline	)	
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Aurora School District	)	CC Docket No. 02-6
(Aurora School District, BEN #138731)	)	
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Schools and Libraries Universal Service	)	
Support Mechanism	)	

**Petition for Waiver of  
FCC Form 471 Filing Deadline for Funding Year 2018  
RE: FCC Form 471 #138731**

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**I. INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY**

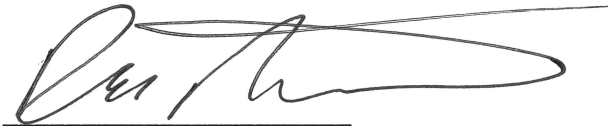
The Aurora School District ("Aurora School District") serves low income pre-kindergarten through Grade 12 children in rural Nebraska. The Aurora School District has been a very small but successful participant of the E-Rate program. The Aurora School District submitted and certified their Funding Year 2018 FCC Form 471, #181043095, in the "Apply Online" portal of the Schools and Libraries Division ("SLD") of the Universal Service Administrative Company's ("USAC") website, on 7/16/2018, 117 days after the FCC Form 471 filing deadline of 2018 Form 471 filing deadline. A staff member of the rural Aurora School District, works E-Rate into his already busy work schedule, and is the sole staff member performing E-Rate duties. Because this request is based on a state negotiated contract, there was a misunderstanding as to which

forms were filed by the State of Nebraska and which forms were filed by the Aurora School District. Because of this, the necessary filing of form 471 was overlooked until now.

## **II. Request**

The Aurora School District respectfully petitions the Commission to request a waiver of the Funding Year 2018 FCC Form 471 filing deadline on behalf of the Aurora School District to allow the Out of Window submission of their E-Rate Funding Year 2018 FCC Form 471, #181043095, due to this misunderstanding.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Robb Nachtigal', written over a horizontal line.

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